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G.O. No 2139

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[Despatch Abstract.]

Children Act:-

Juvenile Certified School, Bellary - Shoemaking and blacksmith work - Introduction of - Increase in the rate of rice issues of raw materials for instructional purposes in Borstal and Certified Schools - Orders passed.

Extract of the Inspection of the Junior Certified School for boys, Bellary, on Thursday the 29th October 1936 by the Hony. Inspectress

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14. With regard to trades that might be usefully taught to the boys there is already taught in the school Carpentry, Weaving and Tailoring. The first and the last of these are the most useful. Unless a boy belongs to the weaving caste, it is difficult to get him employment as a weaver if he has not any family connection in that trade. So I would suggest that other trades might most usefully be introduced:

1. Shoe-making and repairing (particularly for Adi-Dravida boys)
2. Agriculture (for the village boys)
3. Compositor's work.
4. Book-binding.
5. Blacksmith.
6. Pot making.
7. Mat making.

(a) With regard to (3) the initial outlay may be rather expensive as the fount would have to be purchased, and also prints would have to be struck of the composed fount to test the accuracy of the work. A printing press in Bellary, possibly the jail press, might allow this to be done and thus do away with the necessity for the purchase of a printing press which of course will be very expensive. We find there is usually work obtainable for young men who are good compositors.

(b) Referring to (4) this seems a very possible trade which has the advantage of an inexpensive initial outlay. A practically trained book-binder must be engaged to teach the boys. The articles required for the work are:

Folders, Bodkins, Knife, Scissors, Thread, Flour, Glue and Strawboards.

The whole cost I believe would only be about Rs.10/- for each boy.

(c) (5) A trained Blacksmith seems able to obtain work in the towns.

(d)(6) Pot making. This would only necessitate the purchase of a wheel and clay and a trained man to teach. As soon as a boy is efficient he could teach the others. There is usually a good demand for well-made pots in villages.

(e) (7) Mat making. If this is taught it should be done ~~xxxxxxxxx~~ on the country looms so that a boy could put up one in his village. I have a loom of this type in the Girls' School and the cost was under Rs.3/- for putting up the loom. The boys who are taught this trade should only be those who are living in villages where Kora to make the mats can be obtained.

Copy of letter No.Estt.1006-37 dated 5th March 1937 from the Chief Inspr. of Certified Schools to the Secy. to Govt. Home Dept.

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Children Act - Junior Certified School, Bellary - Report of the Honorary Inspectress dated the 29th October 1936 - Ref: Govt. Memo.No.4070 C-1 Home dated the 6th January 1937.

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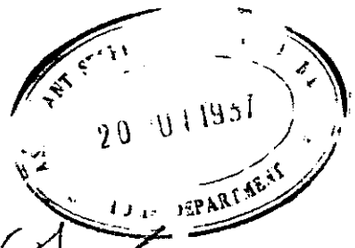
As regards industrial training it has to be remembered that this school is only for boys up to the age of 16 and that it is an elementary school with Manual training. Half the teaching period is given to literary education and half to manual training Boys coming into the school at the age of 13 and upwards can hardly be turned out to be competent craftsmen at the age of ~~17~~ 16. The standard of education is up to the 5th and I think the most we can expedt to do is to train the boys in an intelligent use of their hands and give them training in some particular industry which will help them to get into that industry as apprentices or helpers after theyleave school. Compositors work is not suitable for elementary boys. Agriculture, I think, is also not suitable with regard to local conditions. Blacksmithy to be combined with carpentry section could be usefully introduced. Shoemaking although in this country very largely hereditary trade might I think be taken up provided the idda that the whole work must be for orders and the products must be sold at a profit is abandoned. Mat weaving in my opinion leads nowhere. For pot making, again a hereditary occupation, good clay is not available in Bellary though the Central Jail, Bellary does make for itself the rough pots used for night urinals in the cells. Book binding is introduced in our Borstal Schools but I am a bit doubtfulas to whether the openings in this trade are sufficient to justify theopening of a book binding section in Certified Schools. The Superintendent is of the opinion that book binding cannot be properly taught in the time at the disposal. As regards tailoring section I find that insufficient teaching in hand stitching and cutting out of patterns is given. The boys at present seem only to learn stitching of button holes

and for other stitching work the machine is used. Out of 32 boys in the class only two were capable of cutting out patterns of garments. Necessary instructions have been given to the Superintendent.



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Home 'C' Department.

Memo.No. 1425 C-1 / 14.4.37.

Children Act - Junior Certified School, Bellary - Shoe-making and smithy work - Introduction of - Ref. C.I's letter No.Estt.1006-37 dated 5-3-37.

The Chief Inspector is informed that the Govt. are prepared to consider his proposal to introduce shoe-making and blacksmithy in the Junior Certified School, Bellary. He is requested to forward an estimate of cost which the proposal will involve. His attention is in this connection invited to the free allowance of raw materials for instructional purposes in Borstal and Certified School sanctioned in G.O.No.418 L.G. dated 6-2-1933 and

2. His attention is also invited to the free allowance of timber for instructional purposes in Borstal and Certified Schools up to a certain limit ~~and the Cabinet making classes in the Penitentiary~~ sanctioned in G.O.No.4143 L.G. dated 11-11-1931 and he is asked to say whether it is worthwhile to have scraps of wood left over in the jails sent to the Junior Certified School at Bellary. to enable the pupils

there to make things and so learn carpentry and cabinet making.

To

The C.I. of Certified Schools.

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Jail **DEPARTMENT.**

Received ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT 24 JUN 1937 HOME DEPARTMENT 19

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Subject.

Junior Certified School, Bellary - Starting of shoe-making and smithy - Ref:- Home Memorandum No.1425-C-1, dated the 14th April 1937 -

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No.ROC.1006/H3/37.

Station Mount Road, Madras *Dated the* 21st J u n e 19 37.

From (Name) F.G.Rutherford Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S.,
(Designation) Chief Inspector of Certified Schools.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
H o m e Department.

Sir,

Proposals for the opening of the two industries will be submitted in due course.

2. In this connection, I would suggest to Government that the sum of Rs.3-8-0 permitted to be spent monthly, for instructional purposes under weaving, smithy, etc., industries with reference to G.O.No.Ms.413, Law (General), dated the 6th February 1933, is too small. The amount should be not less than Rs.100/- a year for each industry and it would perhaps be better to fix it at so much per head of number of pupils in the class Rs.2-8-0 per head per year — on this basis and on the basis of present strength in Borstal and Certified Schools, the total annual cost would not exceed Rs.1500/- as

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per details furnished in the accompanying statement.

3. I see that carpentry has not been included in the list of industries mentioned in the Government Order - quoted above, in respect of the instructional grant, the reason obviously being that issue of timber at the rate of one c.ft. per annum for every five students trained in cabinet making, has already been allowed under G.O.No. Ms.4143,Law (General),dated the 11th November 1931.

The cost of teak is in the neighbourhood of Rs.5/- a cubic foot, and it is usually used as being fairly easy to work and the articles made can be sold more easily - than if theyware made with inferior wood such as deal or mango, one cubic foot for 5 pupils is not enough.

I/have therefore taken into account carpentry also, in calculating the expenditure involved in the proposed - scheme.

4. I request my proposals may be approved and orders issued modifying the two previous orders cited above.

Personal Assistant
for Chief Inspector of Certified Schools

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	Name of industry	Borstal School. Tanjore	Borstal School Palamcottai	Senior Certified School Chingleput	Junior Certified School. Ranipet	Junior Certified School Bellary	Total	Remarks
I Number of pupils in the several industries	Weaving	28	37	77	40	50	232	
	Metal Work	..	..	32	..	..	32	
	Tailoring	22	17	57	34	104	234	
	Masonry	12	18	42	-	..	72	
	Smithy	22	59	20	-	..	101	
	Carpentry	52	59	89	49	97	346	
		136	190	317	123	251		
	Total Incp.	136	190	317	123	251	1017.	
II Annual Cost as per Govt. (Ro. 418. Edn. General dated 6.2.1933 at Rs. 3-8-0 per industry (per mensem) and Cost of timber issued as per Govt. (Ro. 4443. Edn. Genl.), dt 11-11-1931		Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs	Rs.	
	Weaving.	42	42	42	42	42	210.	A
	Metal Work	..	..	42	..	..	42	
	Tailoring.	42	42	42	42	42	210.	
	Masonry.	42	42	42	..	..	126.	
	Smithy.	42	42	42	..	..	126	
	Carpentry.	Cost of 346/5 C.Ft. of timber @ Rs 5-0 per C.Ft.					385	C
							(124 - Estimate 261 - Actuals)	
	Total.						1099	(A)
III Annual Cost as proposed at Rs 2-8-0 per boy per annum	Weaving.	70-0-0	92-8-0	192-8-0	100-0-0	125-0-0	580-0-0.	B
	Metal Work	..	..	80-0-0	..	..	80-0-0.	
	Tailoring.	55-0-0	42-8-0	142-8-0	85-0-0	260-0-0	585-0-0.	
	Masonry.	30-0-0	45-0-0	105-0-0	..	..	180-0-0	
	Smithy	55-0-0	147-8-0	50-0-0	..	..	252-8-0	D
	Carpentry.	130-0-0	147-8-0	222-8-0	122-8-0	249-8-0	865-0-0.	
	Total.	340-0-0	475-0-0	792-8-0	307-8-0	627-8-0	2542-8-0	(B)
IV	Difference or extra expenditure to Government (B minus A)						1443-8-0	

or Rs 1500/- roundly

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Jail **DEPARTMENT.**

Received ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVT. 8-JUL 1937 *Registered* 058420 19 617

Subject.

Junior Certified School, Bellary - Introduction of Smithy Work and Shoe Making - Ref:- Home memorandum No. 1425-C-1, dated the 14th April 1937

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No. RDC.1006/B3/37.

Station Mount Road, Madras. *Dated the* 1st July 19 37

From (Name) T.G.Rutherford Esq., C.I.E., I.C.S.,
(Designation) Chief Inspector of Certified Schools.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home Department.

Sir,

For boys of the age in the Certified School, Bellary I think it will be sufficient to employ an Asari Artisan on Rs.20/- a month under the supervision of the carpentry-instructor, for the Blacksmithy Section. For initial outfit tools, Rs.150/- should suffice and Rs.150/- for materials. Later as the school progresses, more expensive tools may be required.

2. As regards Shoemaking, certificated instructors are apparently not available, but a professional chuckler able to make boots, shoes and sandals, could probably be got for Rs.20/- a month, to instruct. Man trained in the former Salvation Army Criminal Tribes Settlement at Pammal in Chingleput District are available. I had an application

from one when I was Commissioner of Labour. Possibly also, we could get a discharged convict from Vellore, of non-criminal antecedents.

3. The estimated cost involved in the proposal is as follows.-

(1) Blacksmithy - Initial cost	Rs.150/-	Total Rs.540/-
Recurring - wages of the artisan).	Rs.240/-	
Recurring-Purchase of materials.	Rs.150/-	
(2). Shoemaking - Initial equipment.	Rs. 50/-	Total Rs.440/-
Wages of artisan.	Rs.240/-	
Materials.	Rs.150/-	

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Personal Assistant
for Ch.Inspr.of Certified Schools.

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Memo No. 1425C-2 dy 13.7.37

Children Act - Junior certified School Bellary - Shoe making and Smithy work - Introduction of - Report. Correspondence ending with the letter from the C.I.of Certified Schools No. ROC 1006/B3/37 dy 1.7.37.

The attention of the C.I. of certified Schools is invited to paragraph 2 of memo. 1425C-1 dy 14.4.37. and he is requested to offer his remarks on the suggestion contained therein regarding the use of scraps of wood kept over in the jails for mischarial purposes in the Junior Certified School at Bellary.

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By order

The C.I. of certified Schools.

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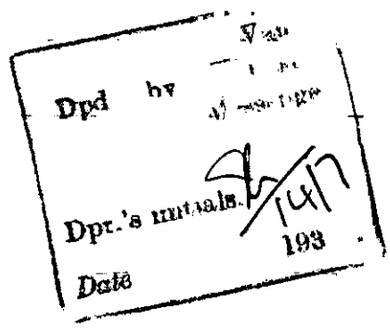

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Jail DEPARTMENT. 13/

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Subject.

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No. ROC. 1006/B3/37.

Station Mount Road, Madras. *Dated the* 17th July *19*37.

From (Name) Lieut-Col.E.C.Contractor, M.B., I.M.S.,
(Designation) Offg.Inspector-General of Prisons & Ch.Insp.of Certified Schools.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home Department.

Sir,

Besides the Borstal and Certified Schools, the Penitentiary, Madras, is the only jail which is permitted to use timber for instructional purposes, as per G.O.No.L.. 4143, Law (General), dated the 11st November 1901. I doubt if the scraps of wood available there will be sufficient for training the pupils of the Junior Certified Schools, in carpentry and cabinet making, especially when the grant of Rs.3-8-0 per mensem towards the purchase of raw materials authorised in G.O.No.41.., Law (General), dated the 6th February 1933 is not applicable to this industry.

It is only in consideration of this fact, that carpentry has also been taken into account in paragraph 3 of this office letter No.RoC.1006-B3/37, dated the 21st June 1937

in respect of the proposal to enhance the monetary grant for instructional purposes from the flat rate of Rs.3-8-0 per mensem per industry, to Rs.3-5-0 per head per annum.

Lieut-Col.I.M.S.,
Offg.Inspector-General of Prisons

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Home Dept:

Memo 1425 C-3 dated 5-8-37

Children Act -

Junior Beedi[illegible] School, Bellary -

- Instruction in Carpentry and Cabinet making - Utilisation of scraps of wood - Reg. letter from the D.I of Beedi[illegible] schools. No.

P 13 CF Roc 1006/B.3/37 dt 17.7.37.

The D.I is requested to report whether there is any scraps of wood in any of the jails (Other than the Penitentiary, Madras) which could be sent to the Junior Beedi[illegible] School, Bellary,

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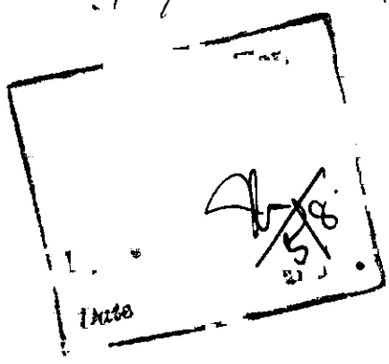

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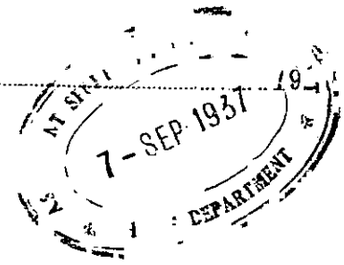

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Children Act - Junior Certified School,Bellary- Training the pupils in carpentry and cabinet making - Ref.-- Home Memorandum No.1425-C-3, dated the 5th August 1937.

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No. ROC.1006/B3/37.

Station Mount Road,Madras. *Dated the* 4th September 19 37.

From (Name) Lieut-Col.S.C.Contractor,M.B.,I.M.S.,

(Designation) Offg.Inspector-General of Prisons & Ch.Inspr.of Certified Schools.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,

Home Department.

Sir,

In none of the Central Jails are scraps of wood, which could with advantage, be sent to the Junior Certified School, Bellary available.

Timber is purchased in cut sizes of planks and scantlings, according to requirements and, as such, when articles are made, only small pieces and shavings are left over.

The Superintendent of Prisons,Madras says that, there are bits ranging in sizes from 9" to 18" in length and 1" broad or thick, but that such will not be fit for any use except as firewood and will not therefore be worth even the cost of transport to Bellary.

Lieut-Col.I.M.S.,

vss.6/9. Offg.Chief Inspector of Certified Schools

Home Deptt.

Memo/1425C-5 dated 11-10-37

Borstal and Berhiffeir Schools - Free issue of raw materials for instructional purposes - Modification of existing orders.

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A copy of letter from the C.I of Berhiffeir Schools, no. Ro.C 1006/B.3/37 d 21.6.37 together with a copy of memo no 1425C-1 d 14.4.37 to which the letter is a reply, is forwarded to the D.I, who is requested to state whether the rates proposed by the D.I are reasonable having regard to the value of raw materials allowed for instructional purposes in other industrial schools for boys. His attention is in this connection invited to his letter to the DG of Prisons no. C/1201/32 d 13.10.32 and letter from the Inspector of Industrial Schools no 139-CC-31 d 2.6.37 (copy enclosed) (copies of E.O no 4143 Lg d 11.4.37 and no 418 Lg d 6.2.35 are enclosed for reference.

To the Dir. of Industries. (with enclos).

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Home Deptt.

Memo/ 1425 C-6 dated 14.10.37

Children Act –

Junior Certified School, Bellary

– Introduction of smithy work and Shoe making – Reqg letter from the D.I of Certified Schools.

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No. Ro.C. 1006/B3/37 d 1.7.37.

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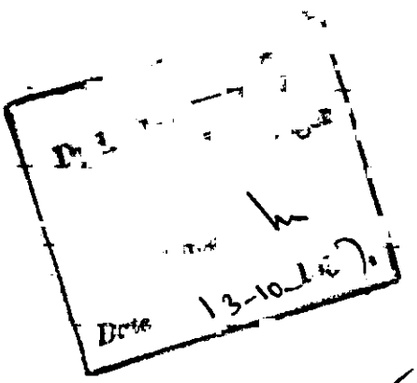
The D.I is requested to state whether in the event of blacksmithy and Shoe making classes being started in the School, there will be sufficient boys willing to take up these avocations. The probable number of boys may be reported.



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To the C-I of Certified Schools.

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Jail **DEPARTMENT.**

Received 28 OCT 1937 19 — HOME DEPARTMENT

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Subject.

Children Act - Junior Certified School, Bellary -
Introduction of smithy work and shoemaking -
Ref:- Memorandum No.1425-C6, Home, dated 11-10-37.

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No. Roc.1006-2-B3/37.

Station Mount Road, Madras *Dated the* 26th October 1937 19

From (Name) Lt.Col. S.C.Contractor, M.B., I.M.S.
(Designation) Chief Inspector of Certified Schools

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home Department.

Sir,

There will be sufficient boys to learn smithy and shoe-making, the present population of the school being 317.

I attach herewith an extract from the Superintendent's letter for information.

Personal Assistant,
for Chief Insprof Certified Schools

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Extract from letter No.2390/37 dated 20-10-37 from the Superintendent, Junior Certified School, Bellary.

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In introducing smithy work, my proposal is to teach this avocation to the pupils who are already learning carpentry with a view to giving them a chance to learn both the trades which are a great help to eke out their livelihood after discharge. Specially in rural parts from where most of the boys have come here, carpenters are handicapped if they do not have the working knowledge of smithy as well. Apart from this proposal two separate batches of 20 pupils each for morning and evening classes will be detailed to learn smithy as there are sufficient number of pupils at present.

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As regards the introduction of shoe making, I beg to submit that it will be hard task to make pupils of other castes to learn this trade but there are a number of Adi-Dravida boys who may be made to learn shoe making though they pose themselves to be more than the caste Hindus as soon as they enter the precincts of this school.

There are 24 Adi-Dravida boys at present who can be divided into two batches of 12 boys each for the evening and morning classes. After the class is started the other caste pupils might as well be tempted to learn this trade if they understand the value of the trade.

Home Dept

Memo/1425 C-7 dated 8-11-37

Children Act –

Junior Certified School, Bellary –

– Introduction of smithy work and shoe making – Correspondence ending with letter from the S.D of Certified Schools. No. Roc 1006-2-B3/37 d 26.10.37.

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It is not clear from the letter from the Supt. of the Junior Certified School, Bellary, No 2390/37 d 20.10.37 whether a sufficient number of boys will be willing to take up shoemaking. The attention of the S.D is invited to rule 10 of the rules under the Children Act and he is requested to ~~ascertain and~~ report very urgently after ascertaining the wishes of the pupils how many boys in the school will take up the avocation in case shoemaking is started.

Dpd. by V.O. P.T. Messenger

Dpr.'s initials.

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To the S.D of Certified Schools Raichur Circle

Reminder.

Tel. message.

From the Under Secy to Govt.
Home Dept.

To the Director of Industries.

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Please expedite your reply to Govt Memo No 1495-C-S Home dt 11.10.37 on the subject of the free issue of raw materials for instructional purposes in Basel and Leather Schools. The proposal is being treated as a Part II Scheme for 1938-39 and the matter should be treated as very urgent.

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MADRAS JAIL **DEPARTMENT.**

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Subject.

Children Act - Junior Certified School, Bellary - Introduction of smithy work and shoe making - Reference.

Memorandum No.1425-C-7, Home Department, Dated 8-11-1937.

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R.O.C. No. 1006-4/B3-37.

Station Mount Road, Madras *Dated the* 12th November, 1937.

From (Name) Lieut-Col. S.C. Contractor, M.B., I.M.S.,
(Designation) Chief Inspector of Certified Schools.

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
HOME Department.

Sir,

The Superintendent reports that all the Adi-Dravida boys in the school, (24 in number) are quite willing to learn shoe making.

Personal Assistant,
For Chief Inspector of Certified Schools.

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Received ASSISTANT SECRETARY 17 NOV 1937 HOME DEPARTMENT ..... 19 *Registered* 17/11 19

Subject.

Borstal and Certified Schools - Free use of raw materials for instructional purposes.

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No. 3355-C/37.

Station Madras, *Dated the* 15th November 1937.

From (Name) L.B.Green Esq., M.B.E.,
(Designation) Director of Industries,

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
Home Department.

Sir,

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Reference: Government Memorandum No.1425-C-5 dated 11th October 1937.

The per capita system is perhaps the most suitable, but in the case of small classes any rate fixed is likely to be too low, as material used up in demonstration will be about the same for a class of 10 to 15 boys as for a class of 20 to 25 boys. I suggest therefore that the amount of free allowance be fixed at Rs.40 a year for a class of twenty boys or less and an additional Rs.2 allowed for each pupil over 20. This allowance is for wastage of materials used for instructional purposes and is not intended to cover cost of material used in the manufacture of saleable articles. If care is

exercised in the matter the amount now suggested should, I think, be sufficient.

for Director of Industries.

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[C no 1425] From the Chief Inspr of Certifies Schools. no. Edn 1006-37 d 5.3.37.

Subject:- Junior Certifies School, Bellary - Report of the Hony. Inspectress - Starting of fresh industries.

Extract on ff 1-2 cf

In her inspection report dated 29.10.86, the Hony Inspectress of Certifies Schools suggested the introduction of certain additional trades or industries in the Junior Certifies School, Bellary. The Chief Inspector's remarks on the suggestion are on ff 3-4 cf. He is decidedly against the introduction of any of the trades suggested by the Inspectress except blacksmithy and shoemaking. He has

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stated that blacksmithy (to be called wrongly ironsmithy or carpentry section) cannot be usefully introduced. There is now a carpentry section which was proposed to sanction an additional carpentry instructor.

The terms of finance will be drawn order.

Shoemaking also may be taken up provided that the idea that

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the whole station must be for orders but that materials must be sold as a profit is abandoned. I do not for orders whether the Govt may agree to the

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with the nature of these industries and
if so, whether it may be asked to
indicate the financial effect of the
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* 24. The rules under the Children Act provide that provision should be made for the general education and vocational training of pupils. The different kinds of industrial training that should be given have not been specified. All courses of instruction are approved by the Chief Inspector, and the wishes of each pupil should be considered as far as possible as to the particular training which he shall undergo. There is no specific rule that industries in Approved Schools should work at a profit.

Rule 9 & 10.

2. Rule 987 of the Jail Manual prescribes the procedure to be adopted for the settlement of prices of articles manufactured in jails. In case of articles the manufacture of which require no elaborate machinery, the cost should include (a) the cost of raw materials exclusive of allowance for waste etc., (b) 5% of the cost of raw materials for depreciation on account of plant and renewals and (c) the value of convict labour. It is understood that in actual practice, this rule is being observed in respect of articles manufactured in Certified Schools also. Attention is, however, invited to the orders in G.O.No.418 L.G. dated 6.2.33 wherein the Govt. approved the proposal of the I.G. for the free issue of raw materials for instructional purposes at a flat rate of Rs.3-8/- per mensem for each of the following industries in Borstal and Certified Schools:-

(i) weaving,
(ii) metal work,
(iii) tailoring,
(iv) blacksmithy
(v) masonry and
(vi) smithy.

Previous to the issue of this order, Govt. had also accorded permission to the free issue of timber for instructional purposes up to a limit of 1 c.ft. per annum for every 5 students in Borstal and Certified Schools.

It was stated by the I.G. in 1932 that to avoid accumulation of articles which are manufactured by beginners in Borstal and Certified Schools and which could not find a ready sale, an auction would be held each year in the schools for their disposal, the prices obtained being subject to I.G's approval. Though no specific orders were passed on this, the position stated by the I.G. was acquiesced in by the Govt.

3. Attention is also invited to rule 402 of the

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Jail Manual according to which the main object of prison labour should be the reformation of the prisoner and every effort should be made to provide for the convicts the best available instruction in uptodate methods of labour so as to enable the prisoner to command a living wage on release. It is submitted that these principles are all the more applicable to inmates of Certified Schools and the idea that articles manufactured in Certified Schools should fetch profit need not, perhaps, be insisted on. It is for orders whether the margin allowed for instructional purposes for certain industries in G.O.418 L.G. dated 6.2.33 should be extended to the proposed industry of shoe-making in the Bellary Certified School and whether the Chief Inspector should be asked whether the issue of an order on this line will meet the needs of the case.

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P.T.
1-4-37.

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When I visited the Bethany School I was told by the Supt that there was no provision for the supply of any timber except for the execution of orders. That was evidently a mistake; but 1 C.F. per annum for 5 pupils does not provide much scope for instruction: & it is a curious fact that though they have been making articles of furniture of a simple type there was no scrap left over so far as I could see.

Doubtless if articles are made for sale they should be sold at a proper price but

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that is no reason why adequate provision should not be made for an adequate supply of wood beneath jails to enable them to learn carpentry & cabinet making whether there are orders in writ. This is a school, not a jail. The main object is not to secure orders & make a profit. The object is to teach & that basic fact must never be lost sight of.

We may tentatively accept the proposal to teach shoemaking smithy work ask C.I. for an estimate of cost.

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is it worth while having scrap from the jails sent there?
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A Draft memo is submitted for approval & signature. Now go to Finance for acceptance

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[illegible] Hon. Minister of Education

HK 5-6 pt.

from the C.I. Certified School No RO.C. 4006/B3/37 dated 1.6.37

HK 7-8 pt.

U.S.:

The C.I. was asked to forward an estimate of cost which the proposal to introduce shoemaking

HK 5th pt.

Bellary, would involve. The C.I. has stated that the proposals will be subd. in due course. Subd. that they may be awaited.

2. Govt. G.O. 418 L.A. dt 6.2.33, the Govt. permitted the free issue of raw materials for instructional purposes at a flat rate of Rs. 3-8- a month for each of the following industries in the Borstal and certified Schools :—

(i) Weaving;

(ii) Metal work,

(iii) Tailoring,

(iv) Blacksmithy,

(v) Masonry and

~~(vi) Shoemaking~~

The charges under this rate, came to Rs. 714 per annum. When this flat rate was fixed, the Hon. C.I. had stated as follows :—

"The rate should be fixed as per industries of the Schools and not per boy as the number of boys engaged in each industry will vary every month according to the admissions and discharges. Moreover it would involve unnecessary calculation to find out the amount that can be spent month by month if the rate is fixed upon the number of boys engaged in each industry".

The C.I. now proposes that it would be better to fix the rate at Rs. 2-8-0 per head of number

of pupils in class per year, as the existing flat rate is too small. According to the existing rate the amount comes to Rs.42/- per industry per year or Rs.714/- per year on all industries in the Schools other than Carpentry. According to the proposed rate at Rs.2-8-0 per head per year, the amount comes to Rs.1677-8-0. The extra cost involved in the proposal is Rs.963-8-0. There seems no objection to accept the C.I's present proposal.

3. Under the orders in G.O. 4143 L.A. dt. 11.11.31, free issue of timber for instructional purposes is allowed up to a limit of 1 C.Ft. per annum for every five students in the Schools. The number of boys in all Schools receiving training in carpentry is 346. At the rate of 1 C.Ft. per 5 pupils per annum, the volume of wood used, is 69.½ C.Ft. The C.I. states that if inferior wood is used, the existing margin of 1 C.Ft. per 5 students, is not enough. The C.I's intention appears to be that teak wood should be allowed for use for the pupils, the cost of which per C.Ft. is about Rs 5/-. The Statement-A/c f 9 C.F. shows that even now teakwood is being used. The proposal now is that as in the case of the industries referred to in para 2 above, a sum of Rs. 2-8-0 may be allowed per head per year for instructional purposes. The extra

Cost amounts to Rs. 480. For orders whether the C.I's proposal may be accepted. Attention in this connection, is invited to Secy's note at ℵ 5 ante.

4 The case may be sent to Finance for remarks.

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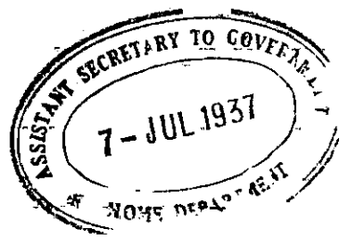

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With reference to U.S's orders above, a draft Memo. to the C.I. is subd.

2 The C.I. has since submitted an estimate of cost which the introduction of Shoemaking and blacksmithy in the Junior certificd School, Bellary would involve. Subd that the proposal will have to be considered on the receipt of the reply from the C.I. to the mem

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Issued as Memo. No.1425 C-2 dated 13.7.37.—
From the C.I. of Certified Schools, No.R.O.C.M 1006/B.3/37 dated 17.7.37.

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In reply to the enquiry whether it would be worth while to have scraps of wood left over in the jails sent to the Junior Certified School, Bellary, to enable the pupils there to make things and so learn carpentry and cabinet making, the C.I. has stated that the only Jail which is permitted to use timber for instructional purposes is the Penitentiary, Madras and he doubts whether the scraps of wood available there, would be sufficient for training the pupils of the Junior Certified School in Carpentry and cabinet making.

2. The points for orders in this file are -

(1) whether the orders in G.O.No.418 L.G. dated 6.2.33 permitting the free issue of raw materials for instructional purposes at the rate of Rs.3.8.0 a month for each of the industries noted in the margin* in the Borstal Schools and Certified Schools should be modified fixing the rate of Rs.2.8.0 per head per year.

(2) whether the orders in G.O.No.4143 L.G. dated 11.11.31 permitting the free issue of timber for instructional purposes up to a limit of 1 c.ft. per annum for every 5 students in the Borstal Schools, Certified schools and cabinet making classes in the Penitentiary, Madras, should be so modified as to permit an expenditure of Rs.2.8.0 per head per year.

(3) whether shoe-making and blacksmithy should be introduced as additional industries in the Junior Certified School at Bellary.

3. Item (1) above: The proposal is explained in para 2 of the C.I's letter on pp.7-8 c.f. It is estimated to cost Rs.1,677.8.0 a year, whereas the expenditure incurred under the present arrangement is

*Weaving
Metal Work
Tailoring
Blacksmithy
Masonary
Smithy

N9 cf

Rs.1677-8-0
714-0-0
Rs 963-8-0 N7cf

Rs 2 recurring on N6 ante

Rs.714/- a year. The extra cost involved is therefore Rs.963.8.0. As the Chief Inspector has reported that the margin allowed at present is too small and as the main object for having industries in Certified Schools is not to make profit but to teach, it is for orders whether the C.I.'s proposal may be accepted.

4 Item (2) on p.10 ante: The proposal is explained in paragraph 3 of the C.I.'s letter on page 8 c.f. It is expected to result in an extra cost of Rs.480/- For orders whether the proposal may be accepted.

Rs 885
385
480
N9 cf

5 Item (3) on p.10 ante: (i) Blacksmithy.

The C.I. suggests that an asari artisan on Rs.20 a month may be employed for the blacksmithy section, under the supervision of the carpentry instructor. The recurring and non-recurring expenditure per annum is expected to be Rs.540/-. This sum indludes an expenditure of Rs.150/- on account of tools. It is stated that more expensive tools will be required as the industry progresses.

para 1 on N10 cf

para 3 on N11 cf

para 1 on N10 cf

(ii) Shoe-making: It is proposed to employ a professional chuckler on Rs.20/- a month. The recurring and non-recurring expenditure is estimated to be Rs.240/- per annum.

para 2 on N10 cf

para 3 on N11 cf.

recurring an expenditure of Rs 50 for

The posts of asari artisan and professiona chuckler, if sanctioned need not be classified. They may come within the purview of rule 3 of the classification rules. The Secretary has tentatively accepted the proposal to teach shoe-making and smithy work in the Certified School, Bellary.

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6 The case may be sent to Finance for remarks. In case it is decided to sanction the proposal during the current year, the C.I. may be

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asked to ~~make the~~ expenditure can be met by re-appropriation.

Post 31.7.37.

Put up with 10 ante

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With regd to the U.S.'s orders on the margin of p 10 ante, a draft memo is put up.

Post 8.8.37.

[Issued as memo No. 1425 C-3 of 5.8.37 from the C.I. of Certified Schools No. R.O.C. 1006/B3/37 of 4.9.37.]

NS. Please see the U.S.'s note on the margin of p 10 ante.

It is reported that there are no scrap woods in any of the Central Jails, which could, with advantage, be sent to the Junior Certified School, Bellary. The scraps of wood available in the Penitentiary, it is also stated, would not be fit for any use except as firewood and would not, therefore, be worth even the cost of transport to Bellary.

2 The points for orders in this file have been stated in paragraphs 2-5 at pp 10-11 ante. For orders whether file may now be sent to Finance for remarks.

Bom. 10.9.37.

Post 10.9.37

Please see para 2-5 pp 10-11 ante. The proposals of the Chief Inspector of Certified Schools may be accepted, and the file may be sent to Finance for acceptance of the proposals

Yes 5

DEPUTY SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT 17 SEP 1937 HOME DEPT.

Ref to 1425C-4 16-9-37

Yes 16/9

Ept

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The proposals of the Home department are -

(1) to introduce instruction in blacksmithy and shoe making in the Junior Certified School, Bellary,

(2) to increase the rate of free issues of raw materials for instructional purposes in Borstal and Certified schools from the flat rate of Rs 3-8-0 for each industry and in the case of carpentry one cubic foot of timber per annum for five students to a flat rate of Rs 2-8-0 per head per year in whatever industry the boys are engaged.

Item (1) above. The proposal involves a recurrin expenditure of Rs 480 per annum and a non-recurring expenditure of Rs 500 as shown below:--

	Recurring Rs	Non-recurring Rs
Pay of blacksmith instructor at Rs 20 per mensem	240	-
Pay of chuckler at Rs 20 per mensem	240	-
Cost of initial equipment Rs 300 for blacksmithy and Rs 200 for boot industry	-	500
	480	500

From the statement on page 9 C.F. it will be seen that there are 251 inmates in the Junior Certified School, Bellary, and instruction is imparted to the boys in the following industries:--

Weaving	50
Tailoring	104
Carpentry	97
	251

In view of the large number of boys in the Junior Certified school, Bellary, provision for instruction in some more avocations seems justified and the proposal to start blacksmithy and boot making classes may be agreed to provided there are enough boys

illing to take up these avocations. The details of ne expenditure proposed do not call for any remarks id may be accepted.

Item (2) above.- The proposal is estimated to ost Rs 1,443 per annum as shown below:-

	Rs
(1) cost of raw materials at Rs 3-8-0 p.m. for each industry	714-0-0
(2) Cost of raw materials at Rs 2-8-0 per annum per pupil	1,677-8-0
A. Difference (2) - (1)	963-8-0
(1) cost of timber issued free at 1 cubic foot for 5 pupils	385-0-0
(2) cost of timber at Rs 2-8-0 per annum per pupil	865-0-0
B. Difference (2) - (1)	480-0-0
Total extra cost A plus B	1443-8-0

963-8-0
480-0-0
1443-8-0

Please see the report of the Director of Industries on page 5 of G.O. 418 Law (Genl) dated 6-2-1933. The existing rate of Rs 3-8-0 per mensem for each industry was recommended by the Director of Industries. The Home department may be requested to consult the Director as to whether the rates proposed by the Chief Inspector of Certified Schools are reasonable having regard to the value of raw materials allowed in other industrial schools for boys.

3. The proposal to introduce additional vocational classes should be treated as an item of new expenditure. The Home department may be requested to take up both the proposals as a Part II scheme for 1938-39 after obtaining the remarks of the Director of Industries.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT 29 SEP 1937 HOME DEPARTMENT

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Home Dept.

i Dis Establishm of blacksmithy & shoe making in Bellary Boys Jail School
ii Free allowance of more raw materials for instructional purposes.

Finance have suggested that the proposals in this file should be treated as a Part II scheme for 1938-39. There is no objection to this. Dept also wish to know whether enough number of boys will take to blacksmithy and shoe making if these avocations are started in the Bellary School and have suggested a reference to the Dir. of Industries as to whether the rates proposed by the C.I. to be issued free for instructional purposes are reasonable

M on ff 13-14 ante

Z on p 14 ante

A draft memo to the D.I and another to the C.I are submitted for approval.

7.10.37.

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p 17 ff — Issued to the D.I. as memo. No. 1425 C-5 dt 11.10.37

p 14 " — Issued to the C.I. as memo. No. 1425 C-6 dt 11.10.37

p 15 ff — [CMO 8442C] from the C.I. No. R.O.C. 1006-2-B3/37 dt 26.10.37.

The C.I. was requested to report whether there would be sufficient boys to take up blacksmithy and shoemaking, if started and the probable number of boys also.

Under rule 10 of the rules under the Children Act, besides general education each

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Certified School shall, as far as possible, provide for the vocational training of pupils, the wishes of each pupil being consulted as far as possible to the particular training he shall undergo.

It is stated that there are 60 pupils who will be available to learn boot making. As regards shoe-making, it is stated that there are 24 Adidravida boys who can be made to take up that industry. It is not known whether all these 24 boys will be willing to take to this trade. Some of them may not be used to this trade. Only a section of Adidravidas (Cobblers) are accustomed to do this work. The Superintendent himself says that it will be hard to make pupils of other castes to learn this trade and that Adi-dravida boys in the school pose themselves to be more than the Caste Hindus. It is stated that other caste pupils might be tempted to learn shoe-making if they understand its value i.e., after the class is started. It is doubtful whether the Govt. can agree with the Suptdt. proposals whether the C.L. may be asked to ascertain the wishes of the pupils with regard to the rule 10 of the Rules under the Children Act.

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Yes. 2/11

2. The D.I. has not yet replied. He may be reminded on 15.11.37.

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27.11.37

A draft memo. to the C.I. is sent.

27.11.37.

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Issued as memo. No. 1425 C-7 dt 8-11-37.

[20275C.] From the C.I. R.O.C. No. 6006-4/B3-379, 12.11.37

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It is reported that the 24 Adidravida boys in the school are quite willing to learn shoe-making. The D.I. has been reminded to-day. His reply may be awaited for a week.

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[20717C.] From the D.I. No. 3355C/37 dt 15.11.37.

The Director of Industries was asked to state whether the rates of raw materials proposed by the C.I. to be issued free for instructional purposes are reasonable. He has suggested that the amount of free allowance may be fixed at Rs.40/- a year for a class of twenty boys or less and an additional Rs.2/- for each pupil over 20, allowed for wastage of materials ~~used~~ used for instructional purposes.

2. The difference in cost of raw materials between the existing rates and those suggested by the C.I. and D.I. are given below:-

A. Industries other than carpentry.

(1) Cost of raw materials at Rs.3.8.0 p.m. for each industry at existing rates	Rs.714.0.0
(2) Cost of raw materials at Rs.2.8.0 per head per annum as suggested by C.I.	Rs.1677.8.0
(3) Cost of raw materials at Rs.40/- for 20 boys or less and an additional Rs.2 for each boy over 20 as suggested by Director of Industries.	Rs. 1368.0.0

Difference (2) - (1) - Rs.963.8.0.
(3) - (1) - Rs.654.0.0.

B. Carpentry Industry.

(1) Cost of timber issued free at 1 c.ft. for 5 pupils – existing rate. – Rs.385

(2) Cost of timber at Rs.2.8.0 per annum per pupil as suggested by C.I. – Rs.865

(3) Cost of timber at Rs.40 for a class of 20 boys or less and an additional Rs.2/- for each pupil over 20 – Rs.692

Difference (2) – (1) – Rs.480
(3) – (1) – Rs.307

The total extra cost on account of the free issue of raw materials for instructional purposes will be as under:

According to the Chief Inspector's proposal – Rs.1443.8.0
According to the Dir. of Industries' .. – Rs. 961.0.0
[Expenditure now incurred. Rs 1099]

The Director of Industries has stated that if care is exercised, the amount suggested by him as free allowance for instructional purposes will be sufficient. For orders whether this department may agree to the rates recommended by the Director of Industries.

3. As regards the other proposal, viz., opening of smithy and show-making classes, it is reported that 40 boys will take to blacksmithy and 24 to shoe-making.

4. A draft note on the Part II scheme is submitted. It may go to Finance for adding their note.

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Finance (B.E.IV)

Please see this Dept note on pages 13-14 ante and the notes et seq. The draft note below may be accepted and the following added as Finance note:—

"The proposal may be considered as a Part II Scheme for 1938-3

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ASSISTANT SECRETARIAT
30 NOV 1937
HOME DEPARTMENT

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Home Dept.

For orders as to circulation.

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for addressal of the draft Part II scheme with

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M etc P. I have been asking for the circulation of hard printing in all possible fails. I do not see any reason why this cannot be introduced in Mysore. Black Printing will have making little greater time for learning and the chances of the boys taking advantage of these

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occupation when they are alternated one few and few between. Please request the Z-G to prepare and submit a Scheme for the introduction of Hand Spinning in the Servt

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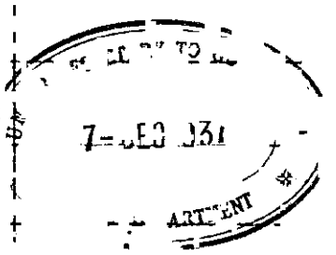
The Scheme may be invited

C. & T. 7.12.37



Subject to the note on the Part II scheme. may be finished and sent to the Fin Dept. After wire, the file will be required. Hom. (CSP) has to see the note of the Hon. P.M.

(Later date of sending note is 14th inst)

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Note in Private Office
on this 7/12/37
to be
sent.

Home Department.

PART II SCHEME FOR 1938-39.

(Subject: Introduction of blacksmithy and shoe-making in the Junior Certified School, Bellary and increase in the rate of free issues of raw materials for instructional purposes in Borstal and Certified Schools).

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Summary.

Head of account.	Item of expenditure.	Ultimate cost Recurring Rs.	Ultimate cost Non-recurring Rs.	Cost in 1938-39 Recurring Rs.	Cost in 1938-39 Non-Recurring Rs.
28.a.Jails and Convict Settlements - G. Certified Schools - 4. Other charges - Other charges - Voted.	(1) Introduction of a blacksmithy and shoe-making in the Junior Certified School, Bellary.				
	(i) Pay of 2 instructors at Rs.20 each a month	480		440	--
	(ii) Cost of initial equipment	--	500	--	500
	(2) Increase in the rate of free issues of raw-materials for instructional purposes in Certified Schools	743	--	743	--
do. D. District and special Jails - 7. other charges.	(3) Increase in the rate of free issues of raw materials for instructional purposes in Borstal Schools.	218	--	218	--
	Total.	1441	500	1401	500

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Note by the Administrative Department.

The C.I. of Certified Schools has recommended that shoe-making and blacksmithy work may be introduced as additional industries in the Junior Certified School, Bellary. According to the rules under the Madras Children Act, 1920, the wishes of each pupil in a Certified School should be consulted

as far as possible ~~as to the~~ particular training ~~which he shall~~ undergo. There are 24 Adi dravida boys willing to learn shoe-making and 40 other pupils to take up smithy work. It is proposed to employ a professional chuckler on Rs.20/- a month in the proposed shoe-making section and an Asari-Artisan on Rs.20 a month in the blacksmithy section and to sanction an expenditure of Rs.500/- for initial equipment of the two new industries.

2. At present, raw materials are issued free for instructional purposes at a flat rate of Rs.3.8.0. a month for each of the following industries in Borstal and Certified Schools:-

(i) Weaving:
(ii) Metal work:
(iii) Tailoring:
(iv) Blacksmithy:
(v) Masonry: and
~~(vi) Smithy.~~

Timber is issued free for instructional purposes up to a limit of one cubic foot per annum for every 5 students in Borstal and Certified Schools who are trained in carpentry. The C.I. of Certified Schools has reported that the present limit of free allowance for instructional purposes is inadequate and that the amount should be fixed at so much per head ~~of number~~ of the pupils in the classes. The Director of Industries has suggested that the amount of free allowance may be fixed at Rs.40/- a year for each class of 20 boys or less and that an additional sum of Rs.2/- may be allowed for each pupil over 20. The extra expenditure on ~~this~~ account of this proposal is estimated to be Rs. ~~1,060~~ 961/-. The main object of having industries in Borstal and Certified Schools

is to teach and not to make profit and it is proposed to accept the proposal of the Director of Industries.

3. This Department recommend that the necessary provision may be made in B.E. for 1938-39 as shown in the above summary.

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Note by the Finance Department.

The proposal may be considered as a Part II scheme for 1938-39.

C.E.J.
29.11.37.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

PART II SCHEME FOR 1938-39.

[SUBJECT.—*Introduction of black smithy and shoe-making in the Junior Certified School, Bellary, and increase in the rates of free issues of raw materials for instructional purposes in Borstal and Certified schools.*]

Summary.

Head of account.	Item of expenditure.	Ultimate cost.		Cost in 1938-39.	
		Recurring.	Non-recurring.	Recurring.	Non-recurring.
		RS.	RS.	RS.	RS.
28. a. Jails and Convict Settlements—G. Certified schools—4. Other charges—Other charges—Voted.	(1) Introduction of a blacksmith and shoe-making in the Junior Certified School, Bellary—				
	(i) Pay of two instructors at Rs. 20 each a month	480	..	440	..
	(ii) Cost of initial equipment ..	..	500	..	500
	(2) Increase in the rate of free issue of raw materials for instructional purposes in Certified schools ..	743	..	743	..
28. a. Jails and Convict Settlements—D. District and Special Jails—7. Other charges.	(3) Increase in the rate of free issue of raw materials for instructional purposes in Borstal schools ..	218	..	218	..
		1,441 or 1,400 roundly.	500	1,401 or 1,400 roundly.	500

NOTE BY THE ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT.

The Chief Inspector of Certified Schools has recommended that shoe-making and blacksmith work may be introduced as additional industries in the Junior Certified School, Bellary. According to the rules under the Madras Children Act, 1920, the wishes and aptitude of each pupil in a certified school should be considered as far as possible in deciding which particular training he should undergo. There are 24 Adi-Dravida boys willing to learn shoe-making and 40 other pupils to take up smith work. It is proposed to employ a professional chuckler on Rs. 20 a month in the proposed shoe-making section and an asari-artisan on Rs. 20 a month in the blacksmith section and to sanction an expenditure of Rs. 500 for initial equipment of the two new industries.

2. At present, raw materials are issued free for instructional purposes at a flat rate of Rs. 3-8-0 a month for each of the following industries in Borstal and Certified schools:—

(i) Weaving;
(ii) Metal work;
(iii) Tailoring;
(iv) Blacksmith; and
(v) Masonry.

Timber is issued free for instructional purposes up to a limit of one cubic foot per annum for every five students in Borstal and Certified schools who are trained in carpentry. The Chief Inspector of Certified Schools has reported that the present limit of free allowance for instructional purposes is inadequate and that the amount should be fixed at so much per head of the pupils in the classes. The Director of Industries has suggested that the amount of free allowance may be fixed at Rs. 40 a year for each class of 20 boys or less and that an additional sum of Rs. 2 may be allowed for each pupil over 20. The extra expenditure on account of this proposal, on the basis of the suggestion of the Director of Industries, is estimated to be Rs. 961 against an expenditure, under existing rules, of Rs. 1,099. The main object of having industries in Borstal and Certified schools is to teach and not to make profit and it is proposed to accept the proposal of the Director of Industries.

3. This department recommend that the necessary provision may be made in the Budget Estimate for 1938–39 as shown in the above summary.

H. M. Hood—26–11–37.

Note by the Finance Department.

The proposal may be considered as a Part II Scheme for 1938–39.

C. E. Jones—29–11–37.

Printed copies of the note on pages 24-25 ante have been sent to the Finance Dept vide for orders whether the file may now be circulated to Hon. (C&P) for perusal of the H.P.M's note on p 20 ante.

2 As regards the note of Hon (C&P) on pp 19-20 ante regarding the introduction of hand spinning in the Junior Basic School, Bellary, it is invited that with reference to Hon's orders in another file, it is proposed to introduce hand spinning and hand loom weaving in the Presidency Jail for Women, Vellore, as the main industry. ~~and~~ It is also proposed to ask the DIG to investigate in detail and report to Govt on the possibility of introducing the industry as a subsidiary industry in other jails. For the purpose of this ~~enquiry~~ investigation, Borstal and Basic schools have been kept out of account. It is for orders whether the DIG should be asked to examine the cases of the schools also in connection with the proposed reference. A list of the industries carried on in the various schools is portrayed at (Y).

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The Scheme may be included. Now the D.G. may be requested to examine the question of introducing Hand Spinning & Weaving in the Centres Schools also. I find from Y' that Wet pressing in a task given to the inmates of Lazyone B.S. Chool & Palamcottah B.S. Chool. This has to be stopped. The D.G. may be requested to Consider the abolition of the said task - Wet pressing.

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Separate file.

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Extract of Hon'ble note above has been taken for separate action as regards the discontinuance of oil pressing as a task in the two Borstal schools. A Dept reference to the D.G has been separately submitted

As regards the introduction of hand spinning and weaving in schools, attention is invited to the office note at 1 on p 26 ante. Hon Ble has ordered that the D.G should be asked to examine the question of introducing hand spinning and weaving in the Beautified Schools also. He has not referred to Borstal Schools. One presumes that Borstal Schools should be kept out of account for the present.

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The main file on the subject of the introduction of handspinning & weaving in jails has gone to Finance for acceptance of the draft orders. On return of the file, the draft will be suitably modified with reference to the orders at B on f 27 ante.

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1. The jails budget has been voted by the legislature. Formal orders may now be issued in this case. A draft order is submd.

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2. The posts of professional checkers and artisans proposed to be created may be sanctioned temporarily for a period of one year to start with. No special qualifications are to be prescribed in their case and a notification may be issued under sub-section 2 of section 241 of the Govt. of India Act, 1935 that their conditions of service are not matters suitable for regulation by rule. The notification will be issued by Public Ser. Dept.

A copy of 11 ante & H to H of 11 C.F. are to be sent at (G)

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SUBJECT:—

Children Act Junior certified School, Bellary - Shoemaking and blacksmith work - Introduction of - Increase in the rate of free issues of raw materials for instructional purposes in Borstal and certified Schools - Orders passed

READ AGAIN G.O. No. 4143 L.C., dated 11 - 11 - 1931. (I)

,, ,, G.O. No. 418 L.C. ,, 6 - 2 - 1933. (2)

READ *ALSO*:—

No. 4946 C. From the C.D. of certified Schools, No. Roc. I (Roc 6/B3/37), dated 21-6-1937;

,, 5842 C. ,, do ,, do ,, 1-7-1937;

,, 20717 C. ,, Director of Industries ,, 3355-C/37 ,, 15-11-1937;

Order ~~Resolution~~ Ms. No. 239, dated 22-4-1938.

The Govt. accept the proposal of the C.D. of certified Schools that Shoemaking and blacksmith work may be introduced as additional industries in the Junior certified School, Bellary. Sanction is accorded for the employment of a professional chuckler on Rs. 20/- a month in the Shoemaking section and an artisan on Rs. 20/- a month in the blacksmith section in the same school for a period of one year.

2. The Govt. also sanction an expenditure not exceeding Rs. 500 (Rupees five hundred only)

towards the initial equipment and purchase of materials (Rs.300 for blacksmith work and Rs. 200 for shoe making.

3 At present, timber is issued free for instructional purposes up to a limit of one cubic foot per annum for every five students in Borstal and certified Schools who are trained in carpentry. Raw materials are issued free for instructional purposes at a flat rate of Rs.3-8-0 a month for certain industries taught in Borstal and certified Schools. The C.I. of Certified Schools has reported that the present limit of free allowance for instructional purposes is inadequate. In consultation with the Director of Industries, the Govt. are pleased to direct that the amount of free allowance be fixed at Rs.40/- a year for each class of 20 boys or less and that an additional sum of Rs 2/- be allowed for each pupil over 20 in respect of the industries noted on the margin.

4 Necessary provision has been made in the B.E. for 1938-39 to meet the expenditure.

Carpentry
Weaving
Metal work
Tailoring
Blacksmith work
Masonry.

To

The C.I. of certified Schools
A.A. Hurs' Finance.
Finance Deptt.
Pub. Ser. Deptt (Jail Estt Branch)
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